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Applicant: Perrson et al.

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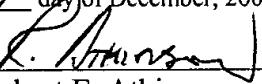
Docket No.: 1151.1106101

For: ELECTRODE DESIGNS AND METHODS OF USE FOR
CARDIOVASCULAR REFLEX CONTROL DEVICES

The Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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No representation is intended to be made hereby that any of the cited references establishes, by itself or in combination with other information, a prima facie case of unpatentability of any claim of the present case.

Respectfully submitted,

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By their attorney,

Dated: 12/27/01


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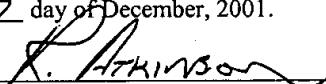
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[X] Applicant claims small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 .

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